Texas State Representative Terri Hodge

The House of Representative District 100

January 3, 2005

Ms. Brooke Boston Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs 507 Sabine St., Suite 400 Austin, TX 78701

Re: Cherrycrest Villas

Dear Ms. Boston:

I am pleased to submit this letter of support for TX John West Housing, L.P. in their bid for tax credit funding of the Cherrycrest Villas Apartments. The apartments will be located in my district. I am cognizant of the need for low income housing in the Dallas area. Housing and neighborhood revitalization is of utmost importance to me.

I am aware that the need for low income housing is part of a large and growing segment of our population and has been neglected. I applaud TX John West Housing, L.P. for their vision in attempting to provide affordable apartments to individuals who may not otherwise have an option to experience this living environment. Cherrycrest Villas Apartments will prove to be beneficial for families living in Dallas as well as the City of Dallas.

Your consideration of a favorable response to TX John West Housing, L.P. would be appreciated.

Sincerely,

Terri Hodge State Representative District 100

